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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Gary J. Zybowskij et al.  
Serial No.: 10/644,569  
For: LEAK DETECTOR METHOD USING  
MICROENCAPSULATED DYE PRECURSOR  
Filed: August 20, 2003  
Examiner: Lyle Alexander  
Art Unit: 1743  
Confirmation No.: 6623  
Customer No.: 000128

Attorney Docket No.: H0004903-4510

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing a Response to Office Action dated June 21, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

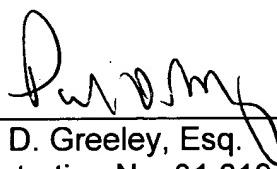
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	27	Minus	28	0	x \$50.00	\$
Independent Claims	1	Minus	3	0	x \$200.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$360.00 = \$	
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES					\$0.00	
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY					\$N/A	

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00.

A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

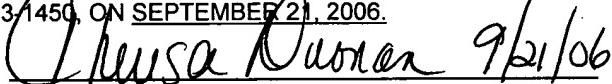
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

Dated: September 21, 2006

  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 21, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page two; and

Remarks begin on page 14.